

HB 1446

HEALTH, WELFARE AND INSTITUTIONS

1. Line 105, introduced, after noncompliance

insert

with the provisions of regulations promulgated pursuant to subdivision B 32 of § 32.1-127

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2. Line 127, introduced, after of

strike

the remainder of line 127 and through facility on line 128

insert

an annual corrective action plan by a certified nursing facility and, upon approval of such plan by the Commissioner, compliance with such plan

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3. Line 137, introduced, after inactive

insert

but shall be retained by the Commissioner pursuant to the Virginia Public Records Act (§ 42.1-76 et seq.)

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4. Line 139, introduced, after but the

strike

the remainder of line 139 and through Assistance on line 140

insert

Nursing Home Compare, as administered by the Centers for Medicare and Medicaid

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5. Line 143, introduced, after the

strike

the remainder of line 143 and through Assistance on line 144

insert

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6. Line 158, introduced, after Commissioner

insert

in compliance with state and federal discharge rights and protections for nursing home residents

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7. Line 162, introduced, after F.

strike

the remainder of line 162 and all of lines 163 through 166

insert

Prior to imposing administrative sanctions, the Commissioner shall provide the facility with reasonable notice. To the extent sanctions are imposed, the facility shall be entitled to all rights under the Administrative Process Act (§ 2.2-4000 et. seq.) and to a de novo appeal to circuit court.

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8. Line 425, introduced, after determined

strike

annually

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9. Line 425, introduced, after the

strike

the remainder of line 425, all of lines 426 and 427, and through I on line 428
insert

Centers for Medicare and Medicaid Services' quarterly Nursing Home Compare reports

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10. Line 460, introduced, after a

insert

federal

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11. Line 460, introduced, after **established**

strike

under federal law

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12. Line 465, introduced, after **annually**

strike

the Department of Medical Assistance Services shall communicate to

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13. Line 466, introduced, after **Commissioner**

strike

the

insert

shall access the CMS Nursing Home Compare

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14. Line 467, introduced, after **State**

strike

Health Commissioner

insert

Board of Health

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15. Line 471, introduced, after 2022,

insert

to such an extent that it impacts the ability of the Commissioner to determine compliance,

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16. At the beginning of line 472, introduced

strike

State Health Commissioner

insert

Department of Medical Assistance Services

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17. After line 478, introduced

insert

8. That the Department of Medical Assistance Services, in collaboration with the Department of Medical Assistance Services, shall, in consultation with relevant stakeholder groups, review and consider modifications to the minimum nurse staffing standard articulated in subdivision B 32 of § 32.1-127 of the Code of Virginia, as amended by this act, every four years from the effective date of the first enactment of this act. Upon completion of each required review, the State Health Commissioner shall submit his findings and recommendations regarding modification of the minimum nurse staffing standard to the Governor and the Chairmen of the House Committees on Health, Welfare and Institutions and Appropriations and the Senate Committees on Education and Health and Finance and Appropriations prior to the next regular session of the General Assembly.

9. That the Department shall promulgate regulations consistent with the provisions of the first enactment of this act consistent with its passage.